

July 21, 2010

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RE: MUR 6326

American Association of Physician Specialists, Inc. & William J. Carbone

Dear Mr. Torchinsky:

This is in response to your letter dated July 20, 2010, which we received on that day requesting a 30-day extension to respond to the complaint filed in the above-noted matter. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on or before September 2, 2010.

If you have any quantions, please contact me on our toll-frue telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Frankie D. Hampton, Paralegal Complaints Examination and

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